

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS  
HOUSTON DIVISION**

NATIONAL CHICKEN COUNCIL, <i>et al.</i> ,	§	
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<i>Plaintiffs,</i>	§	
	§	
vs.	§	
	§	No. 4:24-cv-03786
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BROOKE ROLLINS, in her official capacity	§	
as SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE, <i>et al.</i> ,	§	Judge Andrew Hanen
	§	
<i>Defendants,</i>	§	
	§	
and	§	
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RANCHERS CATTLEMEN ACTION	§	
LEGAL FUND UNITED STOCKGROWERS	§	
OF AMERICA, WESTERN	§	
ORGANIZATION OF RESOURCE	§	
COUNCILS, ALABAMA CONTRACT	§	
POULTRY GROWERS ASSOCIATION,	§	
AND LATINO FARMERS AND	§	
RANCHERS INTERNATIONAL,	§	
	§	
<i>Proposed Defendant-</i>	§	
<i>Intervenors.</i>	§	
	§	

**[PROPOSED] ORDER**

Before this Court is a Motion to Intervene as Defendants by Ranchers Cattlemen Action Legal Fund United Stockgrowers of America, Western Organization of Resource Councils,

Alabama Contract Poultry Growers Association, and Latino Farmers and Ranchers International (together, “Farmer and Rancher Organizations”).

After considering the Motion and all supporting and opposing documents, and having heard oral argument of counsel, and it appearing that good cause exists for granting of such Motion, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that leave is GRANTED to allow Farmer and Rancher Organizations to intervene as a matter of right in this Action as defendants.

The Proposed Answer provided with the Motion shall be considered filed as of the date of this ruling.

IT IS SO ORDERED on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2025.

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Judge Andrew S. Hanen